MAJOR HAWKES IN AWKWARD CORNER.

Complaining Witness in Hemp Investigation Confronted by a Damaging Letter.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Washington, Oct. 2.-Erastus L. Hawkes, formerly a Major in the volunteer service. was compelled to make some admissions damaging to himself to-day before the subcommittee of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs, which is invetlgating his charges against Lieutenant Colonel H. O.

At the same time, he succeeded in introducing testimony showing that Mr. G. D. Meiklejohn, formerly Assistant Secretary of War, had a connection of some kind with the hemp enterprise which Lieutenant Colonel Heistand was promoting, and that Mr. Meiklejehn agreed to appoint Hawkes in the custom service, on condition that the latter returned a letter written by the Assistant Secretary

Adjutant General H. C. Corbin, who appeared as a witness, admitted that bleutenant Colonel Heistand had approached him as to the advisability of joining the semp company, but two days later the General Informed Lieutenant Colonel Heistand that he could not go into such a venture or be connected with it in any way. From General Corbin's statements it is apparent that Mr. Charles H. Allen, for-

merly Assistant Secretary of the Navy, had no connection with the enterprise. The subcommittee has called Mr. Melide-John to Washington to submit his testi-mony and Mr. Allen will also be called. Statements That Are Conflicting.

Mr. Hawkes made conflicting statements to-day which the subcommittee regarded as important. In a letter to Lieutenant Heistand, written from Manila after his discharge from the customs service, Hawkes stated that, having recovered the riawkes stated that, naving tecovered the original letters regarding the hemp enterprise, the army efficer thought bimself safe, "but I beg to inform you that certified copies of all correspondence and photographs of the most important papers were retained by me and are now in my pos-

retained by me and are now in my pos-session."

When the investigation of the charges against Licutemant Colonel Heistand was recumed to-day William C. Mcintyre, who was attorney for Major Hawkes at the time he made his settlement with Colonel Heis-tand, was called to the stand. He related the substance of an interview with Gen-eral Corbin concerning the settlement, Hawkes, it appeared, desired an appoint-ment more than money remuneration in Hawkes, it appeared, desired an appointment more than money remuneration in way of settlement. General Corbin referred him (McIntyre) to Assistant Secretary Meikiejohn. The latter, discialming any connection with the hemp combination, said he would be giral to do something for Hawkes. The details of the settlement effected, according to Mcintyre, included the appointment of Hawkes to a civil position.

McIntyre wanted a promise that Hawkes should be retained in the office, but Mr. Meiklejohn had said he could not give such assurance.

General Corbin's Testimony.

General H. C. Corbin, Adjutant General, who was named in the resolution as one of the parties to the deal, testified that Colonel Helstand made a general statement to him concerning the organization of a company and asked him if he would like to invest in it. He thought favorably of the concern, but two or three days later he told Heistand that he had no money to invest in any company.

Some time afterwards Assistant Secretary Aben came to him and said that a man named Hawkes was using both their names to float some scheme. He told Allen that Hawkes had no authority to use his name. General Corbin's Testimony.

mame.

Neither Boyd nor Meiklejohn over talked to him concerning the organization of the company. He had never discussed the matter with Hawkes. He knew of Hawkes, as he was appointed in the volunteers, and subsequently applied for another appointment. The papers for the latter place were withdrawn. Later Hawkes came to him with a claim against Heistand and he had sent it to Heistand. That was all his connection with the matter. He wanted to state, he said, for the honor of his country, that he never heard it intimated before that the War Department could be used for any dishonorates purposes.

BELLEVILLE.

VOGEL RETURNED TO BELLEVILLE. His Friends Had Been Very Anxious

Petit Jurors Drawn.

Petit jurors were drawn in the St. Clair County Circuit Court yesterday as follows:
Martin J Herzier, Believille, W. H. Adolph, Bast St. Louis, G. B. Haase, Geo. Boyer, Louis Germani, John Apple, J. P. Butler, Lebanov, Gerhard Meyer, Geo. Ebrhard, Henry Kramper, Payettsville, Peter Shrounk, Robert Wober, Joseph Geppert, Centerville Station; Fritz A. Panler, Oille Gibson, Geo. Theobaid, Herman Cromer, Marissa; Wm. Ettling, John Morgan, And. Brandenburger, Fred Quittmeyer, New Athens, Louis Well, Shiloh Valley, Peter Dickhait, Engelmann; Germer Owens, O'Fallon; Joseph Reutermann, Jr., Stookey: Phillip Fress, Prairie du Lons, John Baner, Caseyville, Geo. Bangert, Millstadt; Lawrence Berins, Smithton; Henry Cole, Stites. Fred Vogel, a Believille barber, has his own ideas of humor. He disappeared mysteriously on last Thursday, and his friends have been werrying themselves in running down clews of various sorts to locate him it was believed that he had either committhat was believed that he had either commit-ted suiode or had been murdered. Yester-day afternoon he appeared at the barber shop he had left last Thursday. Several of his friends were in the place at the time, and they started in fear. He quickly con-vinced them that he was real, and then he



An Excellent Combination.

The pleasant method and beneficial effects of the well known remedy, Gyrup or Figs, manufactured by the CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP Co., illustrate the value of obtaining the liquid laxative principles of plants known to be medicinally laxative and presenting them in the form most refreshing to the taste and acceptable to the system. It is the one perfect strengthening laxative, cleansing the system effectually, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers gently yet promptly and enabling one to overcome habitual constipation permanently. Its perfect freedom from every objectionable quality and substance, and its acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels, without weakening or irritating them, make it the ideal

In the process of manufacturing figs are used, as they are pleasant to the taste, but the medicinal qualities of the remedy are obtained from senna and other aromatic plants, by a method known to the California Fig Syrer Co. only. In order to get its beneficial effects and to avoid imitations, please remember the full name of the Company printed on the front of every package.

CALIFORNIA FIG SYRUP CO. BAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

LOUISVILLE, MY. NEW YORK, M. Y. Forcele by all Druggists - Price 50c. per bottle

Postal Telegraph Cable Co.

FOURTH AND OLIVE STREETS. 400,000 Miles Wire; 3,000 Offices. We would be pleased to handle your Telegrams. Try us. Telephone Main 1866. Kinloch A 1455.

WILLIAM F. HOMES H. J. DIEKNEITE, President.

ESTABLISHED IN 1845.

MISSOURI STATE MUTUAL FIRE AND
MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. Office, No. 117 Chestnut St., St. Louis, Mo. Tel, Bell Main 1711A. Tel, Kinloch, A 1631. Policies are written on either stock or mutual pian DIRECTORS:
Henry C. Haarstlek, J. B. C. Lucas, M. R. Orthwein, D. D. Walker, Augustus Nedderhut, Wm. F. Momes.

Albert Strong Arrested.

Albert Strong's ignorance of the law got him into trouble yesterday. Strong was arrested yesterday morning on a charge of having used language that was offensive to Mrs. Lawrence Breen of St. Clair avenue, East St. Louis. At noon he saw Breen on the street. He assaulted him, and then hurriedly went before Justice of the Peace Driscoll and pleaded guilty to a charge of assault and battery, and was fined. A short while later he was arrested and taken to the police station, where he discovered that he had pleaded guilty to a charge of assault in a city case, but that Breen had proceeded against him in a State warrant. He will be tried on a State case to-day. Mysterious Saloon Fire. The East St. Louis authorities are investigating a fire which it is believed was of incendiary origin and which was discovered in a building at Champa street and Walnut avenue, which is used by Milo Nicholson as a saloon and boarding-house. The boarders were given a severe fright, but no

Two New School Buildings Two New School Buildings.

The East St Louis Board of Education has two new school buildings under course of construction. It is expected that they will be completed within a few days. The buildings are one story and frame, and are intended only as temperary structures to relieve congested districts. One is located near St. Clair avenue and the Stock Yards. The other is being built in Rush City, for the benefit of the negro children.

East St. Louis Items.

-- John Woodson was arrested yesterday on a charge of stealing two horses from W. B. Moore at the National Stock Yards a year ago. The second trial of the case of George Stalling vs. the Chicago and Alton Railroad was begun in the East St. Leals City Court vestering. The suit is for \$5,000 damages for personal intuites. The sant is for so, we compage an extended on a charge of stealing coal from the Louisville and Nashville Hallroad.

-Marriage Heenses Issued in East St. Louis yesterlay were to Joey Scott Mount Vernon to Cora Sexton. East St. Louis, August Brown, East St. Louis, to Mattle Harris, East St. Louis, E. H. Engelmann, Madison County, to Emma L. Ortgier, East St. Louis, Dave Mechelland, Venice, to Hattle Bennet, Mount Vernon, Ind.

EDWARDSVILLE.

Edwardsville Notes. Edwardsville Notes.

At the regular meeting of the City Council Tuesday night an ordinance granting the St. Louis and Illinois Electric Railway Company permission to construct an electric line through the city was passed. The company will build to Eliwardsville from Grantic City. The Chief of the Fire Department was notified to ring the engine-house bells at 8 o'clock each evening as a curfew signal, in accordance with an ordinance passed during the administration of Mayor Croker. The measure was never enforced, whisties from the electric light plant heing employed. Chief Hentz, the members of the department and numerous citizens will protest against the use of the fire bells.

—Marriage licenses were issued at Edwards—

against the use of the fire bells.

-Marriage licenses were issued at Edwardsville yesterday to George W. Burton, 23, and
Emolline C. Hoffman, 48, both of Venice; Elijah
Riddle, 22, and Mand Lynch, 18, both of Madison; Lloyd H. Farr, 23, Chicago, and Olivia,
Morris, 33, Collinsville, Prank G. Schmidt,
M. Morris, 34, Collinsville, Prank G. Schmidt,
Planker and Sophic Dankerbrink, 22,
Pin Oak, William I. Wolf, 28, and 1da F. Miller,
29, both of Hamm, L. Wolf, 28, and 1da F. Miller,
So, of St. Ress, Ill. and Ida Essenprels, 13, of
Eurgess, Ill., W. Howard Henry, 27, and Mary
E. Love, 27, both of St. Louis.

-Miners', Memorial, Day will be observed in

E. Love, 27, both of St. Louis.

Miners' Memorial Day will be observed in Edwardsville on October 12, and visiting delegations will be present from many Cenal Illinois towns. The programme of exercise will be at Woodlawn Cemetery in the afternoon. Among the speakers announced are John O. Among the speakers announced are John C. Ja., James Boston, member of the Illinois State Board, and Attorney Thomas Williamson of Edwardsville.

Circuit Clerk Thomas W. Schesen and Control of the C

Edwardsville.

-Circuit Clerk Thomas W. Springer and Alderman Charles H. Bartels are in Chicago attending the Masonic grand lodge meeting.

KUNGSTON. ONTARIO.—The steamer Richelleu shifted her cargo yesterday and sank almost immediately. Her crew and passengers were saved, but had a narrow assence.

laughed at them for imagining all sorts of ill things about him. He said that if he cared a copper to disappear for a few days it was only his business, and that they needed not to have bothered themselves as much as they had.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Haefele.

A. E. Methts and wife to A. H. Bachmann Part of lot 2t, block C. East St. Louis; w. d.

C. A. McCasland and wife to same, lots 278 and 279, Central Place No. 2, East St. Louis; w. d. 208,73

F. P. Brigham and wife to E. C. Harris, part of lot E. block E. Longwood subdivision, East St. Louis, w. d., 150.

J. Lynot to E. W. Steinmann, lot 40, J. Where subdivision, block Dr. East St. Louis, w.

11.80.
W. P. Peach and wife to J. S. Peach, lot 42, in the peach and wife to J. S. Peach, lot 42, in the peach and wite to Gust Schutzhin, ot 44, vilinge of Caseyvills; qu. d.; 1273.
Dan Woodward and wife to Dora Schwartz, for 18, calbrith's second addition, New Athens, and J. C. Calbrith's second addition, New Athens, and J. C. Calbrith's second addition, New Athens, and J. C. Calbrith's Schwartz, a

Cases Docketed for Trial.

Law-Munday, Settlemeler & Co. vs. P. P. Wil-

iams Grain Co.; appeal, H. P. Taussig, trustee, vs. Henry Schlensker;

Appeni.
Mollie Bridge vs. Irene McCrary; appeal.
The Schlessinger Tailoring Co. vs. F. Lee and
W. U. Tel. Co.; appeal.
Chancery—George C. Quick vs. Maria Quick;

Law-Henry M. Needles vs. S. H. Leathe; at-

Marriage Licenses Issued

Marriage licenses issued in Belleville yes

Marriage Reenses issued in Belleville yes-terday were to:

1. P. Robinson, 25. St. Louis, and Hattle E. Sounian, 21. O Fallon.
Ford C. McCormick, 27. Normal, 111, and Es-tella Kath Baker, 28. Helleville, and Julia John A. Schuessier, 28. Belleville, and Julia Noeitzelmann, 21, Marion, 111, A. T. Whitaker, 30. St. Louis, and Ida Mon-son, N. St. Louis.

Petit Jurors Drawn.

Albert Strong Arrested.

160. Violweber and wife to Dora Schwartz Gelbraith's second addition, New Athens

ville yesterday were:

WHITE RIBBONERS ARE IN SESSION. McCormick-Baker Wedding. McCormick-Baker Wedding.
Miss Estello C. Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Baker of No. 995 South Church street, Believille, and Doctor Ferd C. MeCormick of Normal, III., were married last night at the home of the bride's parents. The Reverend D. C. Schumard, pastor of Believille Methodist Church, performed the wedding ceremony. The couple were attended by Miss Emma Graff and George Baker. The wedding was followed by a supper and reception, after which the couple departed for a honeymoon trip in the South. Annual W. C. T. U. Convention

More than 200 members of the St. Louis Woman's Christian Temperance Union were present yesterday at the Mount Cabann thristian Church, at the seventeenth annual convention. Three sessions were held and Transactions Filed With Recorder an interesting programme was carried out. The feature of the morning session was a Real estate transfers filed for record with memorial service in memory of the late Mrs. Belle P. Robert, who was a prominent county Recorder Charles Haefele at Bellecomber of the organization for many years. "Her Early Life" was briefly sketched by Mrs. Belle C. Kimball, "Her Church Life," 7. R. Harris and wife to same, part of lot 25c Central Plane No. 3. East St. Louis, w. d. 182.5c. by Mrs. M. E. Culbertson, and "Her Life as a W. C. T. U." was presented by Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, president of the Missouri W. C. T. U. Loving tributes were also paid by Mrs. Cairnes, Mrs. Wagoner, Mrs. In-

Opens With Memorial Services

at Mount Cabanne Church.

galls, Mrs. McLean and Mrs. Field. Among the other features of the morning session were a chorns, "All Around the World Is the White Ribbon Entwined," ren-dered by the girls of Forest Park University; a recitation by Mrs. Harry Wagoner; an address of welcome by Mrs. R. P. Todd, and response by Mrs. N. B. Stanza. Mrs. T. C. 'arleton conducted the "Quiet Hour" Mrs. Maggie Cleveland the opening devo-

Henry Vielweber and wife to Dora Schwartz, for 18, Gelbraith's second addition, New Athens, quitclaim deed, 183.

11. J. Esgmann and Wife to A. M. Ergmann, trustee, 1918 9 and 10, block 25, Longwood's subdivision, East St. Leuis; warranty deed, 1850.

M. L. Gray to Anna Merrill, 101 a3, Security addition, Winstanies Park, warranty deed, 1225.50.

P. W. Abt and wife to Louisa Weick, part of lot 7, Alst's subdivision, 101 192, East St. Louis, warranty deed, 181.35.

Theo, Vogt and wife to C. O. McChsinnd, part of lots 1 and 2 block 3, Louis Gruss's subdivision, East St. Louis, warranty deed, 11.35.

H. C. Hirsdbury and wife to Theo. Vogt, part of lot 1, first subdivision Cahokia survey 717.

Best St. Louis, warranty deed, 11.359.

O. P. Gorton to H. A. Foiey, lot 11, block 11.

Dexters second addition, East St. Louis, warranty deed, 11.399.

Cora Genard and hushand to J. F. Cooksen, undivided interest lot 1, east half northwest quarter section 9, township 2 north 9 ofte d. 1509.

Long Genard and hushand to J. F. Cooksen, undivided interest lot 1, east half northwest quarter section 9, township 2 north 9 ofte d. 1509.

L. J. Lischer and wife to Susan and Fresh, 1509. tomat exercises.

A feature of the afternoon session was the "Mothers' Meeting," presided over by Mrs. Culbertson, and at which a paper by Mrs. West on "The Need of Recreation for Mothers, and Its Value Through Them to the Home," was read by Mrs. N. B. Stanza. A general discussion followed on the tonic. general discussion followed on the tople "How Can Children He Taught a Wise Economy?" Solos were sung by Mrs. Myra A. Chisholm, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Clark. A. Chisholm, Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Clark.

The Reverend S. E. Ewing, pastor of the
Taylor Avenue Baptist Church, delivered
an address on "Progress of Temperance
During the Last Century," in which he
gave a resume of the history of the temperance movement from its beginning to its
culmination in the National and World's
Woman's Christian Temperance Unions,
Mr. Ewing mentioned particularity the firtyfour departments of this world-wide organization, and its influence along educational
and legislative lines. He said that the cross
and temperance work must ever go hand
in hand.

and temperance work must ever go near in hand.

The Reverend Frank G. Tyrrell, pastor of Mount Cabanne Christian Church, gave "A Forceast of What May Be Expected Along Temperance Lines in the Present Century." Mr. Tyrrell took the position that there must be a complete vindication of total abstinence from a scientific stand-

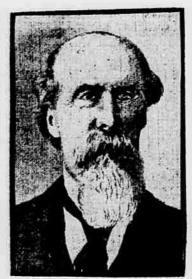
point.

The feature of the evening session was an address on the practical value of temperance work, by Mrs. Clara C. Hoffman, president of the Missouri W. C. T. U. and recording secretary of the National W. C. T. U. Miss Haepler sang a solo, entitled "Out From the Hearthstone the Children Go." Wiggins Perry Company to C. E. Kimball, land in second Ferry division, East St. Louis, w. d.; \$12,084.
Charles Dachnert and wife to Pete Ruebel, lot 10, block 1, Cabanne addition, Belleville; w. d.; \$100.
R. E. McLean to John Fabik, lot 9 and part lot 10, McLean's subdivision, block 43, East St. Louis; w. d.; \$124.
Mary A. Bowman and husband to F. Placek, part lot 179, block 79, Illinois City, w. d.; \$130.
Henry Vort and wife to Bridger McHugh, lots 1 and 17, block 4, Parson's Heights, East St. Louis; w. d.; \$1,000.
F. L. Hunton and wife to E. F. Dunn, lot 9 and part of lot 92, Lovingston addition, East St. Louis; w. d.; \$1,000. The convention will continue in session to-day, with conferences and reports from all departments of the work.

ALTON.

BOYS PAINFULLY BURNED. St. Louis Lads Injured While Burning

Alphouse Kern and Newmark Isaacs, two St. Louis boys attending the Western Military Academy at Upper Alton, were painfully burned Tuesday evening while burning a quantity of powder. The two boys were in the arsenal filling bags of powder for the morning and evening salutes, when young Isaacs placed a small quantity of powder in one cerner of the room and attempted to set fire to it. The first match went out, and when he touched the second match to it, the powder flashed into his face, burning him about the arms and the body also. Kern went to the rescue of Isaacs and was also burned about the hands and arms, but his injuries are not so painful. Surgeon Lemen of the academy and Doctor W. A. Haskell dressed the injuries, which are not serious.



EDITOR JOHN JONES, of the Roodhouse (Ill.) Record, who is the moderator of the Carrollton Baptist As-sociation, which convened yesterday at Waverly, Ill.

\$14.40-Buffalo and Return-\$14.40. For particulars apply Clover Leaf Routs 104 N. Fourth st.

JERSEYVILLE.

CARROLLTON BAPTISTS MEET.

Iwenty-Sixth Annual Meeting Begun The seventy-sixth annual meeting of the Carrollton Baptist Association convened at the First Baptist Church in Waverly yesterday. The session was called to order by Editor John Jones of the Roodhouse Record, who is the moderator of the body. At 2 o'clock the annual sermon was prenched by the Reverend Doctor Jay A. prenched by the Reverend Doctor Jay A. Ford, paster of the First Baptist Church at Jerseyville. The remainder of the day's session was devoted to the reading of the letter from the First Baptist Church at Waverly and the annual reports of the Missionary Board, the committees on Education and Resolutions and the Auditing Committee. The Ministerial Conference, held each year in connection with the annual meeting of the association, was held on Monday evening, and was in charge of the Reverend T. C. Coffey, paster of the Waverly congregation on Monard the Reverend T. C. Coffey, pastor of the Waverly congregation.

Thursday will be Young People's Day, and in addition to the work of the association much time will be devoted on Friday to missions, a number of the leading workers in the country being on the programme for addresses.

The annual meeting will close with the session of Friday afternoon. The Carrollton Baptist Association is one of the largest in the State of Illinois, having a total membership of 4,724. The forty-one churches composing the body are situated in Greene, Jersey, Macoupin, Morgan, Scott, Sangamon and Bond counties.

The funeral of Mrs. Snyder, wife of Judge John Snyder, vice president of Greene County National Bank at Carrollton, took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 from the Snyder home, west of that city. The Reverend William E. Vaughn of Carlinville, Ill., officiated. The burial was near Eldred. The death of Mrs. Snyder occurred on Tuesday morning. She was 76 years old, and a native of Greene County, being one of the first white children born in the county. She was a sister of David Williams of Kane and of the late Judge L. F. Willams of Rock Bridge.

SECRETARY CORTELYOU RETURNS. Resumes His Duties at White House Immediately on Arriving There. Washington, Oct. 2.—Mr. George B. Cor-trom Canton to-day and resumed his duties at the White House.

Investigating Golconda Disaster. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.
Paducah, Ky., Oct. 2.—The investigation of the City of Golconda disaster was begun by the Board of Inquiry this morning. Several witnesses were examined to-day. The investigation is private. The witnesses are all here, and the board will conclude its work to-morrow afternoon. A decision will

READ PAPER ON SMOKE PREVENTION.

Former Inspector Bryan Gave His Views at Meeting of the Engineers' Club.

At the regular meeting of the Engineers' Club last night the principal feature was a paper read by William H. Bryan on the subject of smoke inspection and smoke prevention, Mr. Bryan was Smoke Commission er when the old smoke ordinance was in effect, and his views were, accordingly, given much weight, because of his experience. Mr. Bryan's paper was an exhaustive re-

view of smoke consumption and prevention, compiled from data obtained from thorough investigation into the conditions prevailing in the large manufacturing centers, where the consumption of fuel and the abolition of noxious smokes and gases have been a sublect of thorough investigation.

the course of his remarks Mr. Bryan and that, briefly speaking, there were three methods of preventing smoke — shutting down smoke-producing plants, burning ordi-nary fuels smokelessly and using smokeless fuel.

Mr. Bryan believes, with others, that the most feasible solution of the smoke-pre-venting problem lies in the use of smoke-less fuel, but as the use of this fuel is very cestly, placing it beyond the reach is very cestly, placing it beyond the reach of ordi-nary consumers, it cannot fairly be consid-ered, he said, as a factor in the problem. This being the case, he said, attention must be directed to the problem of burning ordi-

nary fuels smokelessly.
Under this head Mr. Bryan devoted considerable attention to the numerous devices offered by mechanical engineers to over-come the nuisance complained of, many of which, he said, possessed merit, but none of which were applicable or adaptable to

Mr. Bryan affirmed, however, that some one or more of the devices which he cited was applicable to every smoke-making furnace in St. Louis, without entailing any hardship on the user, provided it is intelli-gently operated and maintained. In conclusion, Mr. Bryan said: "I am in

hopes that the World's Fair authoritie will handle this problem in an effective manner. What could be more interesting and valuable than to show an immense power plant developing thousands upon thousands of horse power, burning our own smoke fuels with perfectly clear stacks? We can do this successfully, and with a wide choice of apparatus. In so doing we should give an object lesson to the world."

To Cure Headache in 10 Minutes Take Parker's Headache Powders. They are safe and sure. All druggists, Price 10c. PECULIAR SENTENCE.

English Judge Orders a Prisoner to Sail for America.

London, Oct. 3 .- Yesterday at the Clerkenwell Criminal Sessions a young American named Ford Ritchie, who had been convicted of robbery, received a novel sentence.

The Judge said he would be merciful in the hope of redeeming the prisoner from a career of crime, and would send him to jail for confinement until Saturday, when he would be conducted to Queenstown and handed over to friends on board a vessel bound for America, with the understanding that if he refused to go with them he he would be rearrested and sentenced to imprisonment for a term commensurate with his offense.

TELEGRAPH NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

MURPHYSBORG, ILL-The Southern Illinois Conference of Ministers of the M. E. Church, South, began Wednesday at the Methodist Church, South, for a four days' session. Nearly one hundred ministers are in attendance. OMAHA, NEB .- John Woodward, assist-

ant superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, with headquarters at Lincoln, committed suicide yesterday. ASHLEY, ILL-At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon the Palace Hotel, with mineral all owned and operated by Charles Krick house, were destroyed by fire.

DALLAS, TEX.—Rural free delivery of mail has gone into effect in Dallas Count, and the Sixth Congressional District generally. Six routes, averaging twenty-five miles in length, radiate from Dallas. Four county post offices were discontinued.

BRENHAM, TEX.—C. H. McKinney died at his home at Whitman from the effects of a shot received by his pistol dropping from his pocket.

JOPLIN, MO.—The Royal Blue mining plant, located on the Granby company's ground, northwest of Joplin, was destroyed by fire Wednesday morning. Loss was \$55,000, with small insurance.

BRATTON CAPTURES PRIZES. East St. Louis Horseman Wins in Four Events.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Louisville, Ky., Oct. 2-Society had an other gala night at the horse show, and saw John S. Bratton of East St. Louis carry off prizes in four events. The night's programme included ten classes, of which programme included ten classes, of which the features were tandems and high jump-ers and hunters. There were from three to twenty-five entries in each class, and Mr. Bratton was in nearly all of them. In the class for saddle horse, walk, trot and canter, he took second prize, with The Reserved, a 6-year-old chestnut gelding, 16 hands high. In the class for horses in harness he captured first prize with My Surprise, an 8-year-old brown gelding, 16 hands 1½ inches high.

nches high. For horses in harness, driven as a pair, For horses in harness, driven as a pair, he took second prize, with His Eminence and His Highness, two beautiful 6-year-old brown geldings, 16 hands high.

In the tandem entry he took second prize with His Highness and My Surprise.

The ony feature of to-night's card in which Bratton did not figure was the class for ladies park horses, in which class Miss Elise Castleman won first prize.

Forest King, D. L. Partish's St. Louis entry, got third prize Tuesday night in the class for American saddle horses, gaited class.

L. & N. ANNUAL ELECTION.

Total Earnings for Year Amounted to New York, Oct. 2.-The pamphlet report of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company for the fiscal year ending June 20 shows total earnings of \$28,022,206, an increase of \$279,828 over the preceding year. The total net earnings were, from all sources, \$10,493,861, being an increase of \$704,841.

At the annual meeting of the directors, held to-day, the following officers were held to-day, the following officers were elected:

President, Milton H. Smith; first vice president, Walker D. Hines of Louisville, Ky.; second vice president, Samuel H. Edgar; third vice president William J. Dickinson: secretary, James H. Ellis; treasurer, W. W. Thompson. The office of third vice president is newly created.

Walker D. Hines of Louisville, who was elected first vice president, is the assistant counsel for the company. He is 31 years old.

TWO CLUBS FOR ST. LOUIS. Joseph Cappels Will Back a Team Which Takes Detroit's Place.

Which Takes Detroit's Piace.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—The magnates composing the National Association of Football Players met here to-day. Detroit dropped out and this left the league with three teams, St. Louis, Chicago and Milwaukee, and as one team would be idle every week the magnates were in quandary. It was then made known that Joseph Cappels of St. Louis was anxious to place a second team in the league, and a wire was received stating that Richard Jarret was on his way to Chicago. The circuit was then completed with two clubs from St. Louis and one each from Chicago and Milwaukee, The St. Louis teams will be known as the Diehls and Cappels.

Permanent officers of the league were elected as follows: President John C. Karel of Milwaukee; Vice President, Gus Diel of St. Louis; secretary and treasurer, T. S. Andrews of Milwaukee.

SUIT YOUR POCKETBOOK!

Our display of ranges and stoves covers the entire floor space of our east store—we've got ranges at almost any price—all good, serviceable and guaranteed to give satisfaction.



"GARLAND" RANGES.

For years the recognized standard. Just like cut. Complete,

HOME FURNISHER FROM CELLAR TO ATTIC.

N. W. Cor. 10th and Franklin Ave.

MRS. LUCY KOENIG HURT-Mrs. Lucy Koenig, wife of George Koenig of No. 2369 McRea avenue, was run down by Compton Heights car No. 125 at Vendeventer and McRea avenues yesterday evening and re-ceived a scalp wound and a fracture of the collar bone.

SNIDER'S FURNITURE DISAP-peared-Nicholas F. Snider of No. 250 Clark avenue reported to the police of the Central District that all the furniture in his room

CINCINNATI COUPLE MARRIED-CINCINNATI COUPLE MARRIED—William Holwager of Chichmati, O., and Miss Vletoria Young of Zalma, Mo., were married last night at \$20 in the parlor of the St. James Hotel by the Reverend Joseph Lee of this city. The bride and groom had arranged to meet and have a quiet wedding. Their home will be in Cincinnati.

CITY HOSPITAL NURSE HURT - MISS

DIES FROM STAB WOUND-Henry Waters, 25 years old, of No. 4245 Shaw avenue, died at the City Hospital yesterday afternoon as the result of a stab wound in the chest September 15, John Harkness of 5119 Shaw avenue is in the holdover of the Four Courts charged with the stabling and had been identified by Waters as his assailant. PLANS FOR ENTERTAINMENT - The

PLANS FOR ENTERTAINMENT—The Southwestern Mercantile Association will give an elaborate entertainment November lo at Concordia Turner Hall, Thirteenth and Arsenal streets, Charles H, Kreh, chairman of the Entertainment Committee, made a partial report of the preparations last night, They indicated a programme of great interest,

HURT IN ELEVATOR ACCIDENT-George Neunemacher, employed at the Me-dart Pulley Company, Potomac and De Kalb streets, sustained injuries in an ele-vator accident yesterday afternoon which may result in his death. He sustained a compound fracture of the spine and wa.

ACCUSED OF IGNORING INJUNCTION
internally injured.

-Warrants were sworn out before United States Commissioner Gray for the arrest of H. Fisher and William Sampson, St. Louis Transfer Company employes, charged with having disregarded the injunction issued against them last week. The men are accused of having interfered with George Migneron, a driver for the company, in the discharge of his duties. pany, in the discharge of his duties.

RELEASED FROM REFORM SCHOOL -John Metz, 12 years old, spent last night in the detention-room at the Four Courts, and will be held until his parents are lo-cated. He was released from the State Re-formatory at Pontiac, Ill., yesterday, where he was sent from East St. Louis. During his incarceration his parents moved to St. Louis, but the boy does not know where they are.

ALLEGED OFFENDERS FINED— Frank O'Loughlin of No. 2327 Division street was fined 315 in the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday, and Athol W. Gale of No. 1227 North Broadway, Thomas J. Keohoe of No. 2919 Montgomery street and John Cahid of No. 2936 Carr street, 55 each, as a result of the trouble in Thomas P. Hanlon's saloon at Twenty-second and Division streets, September 23, in which Officer Harry O'Laughlin was bitten by O'Loughlin, ALLEGED OFFENDERS FIXED-

NEW GERMAN PERIODICAL - "Das NEW GERMAN PERIODICAL — "Das Deutscher Lied," a German periodical devoted to the interests of the North American Saengerbund, will make its initial appearance December 1. Hans Hackel, municipal reporter for the Westliche-Post, will act as editor. He proposes to promote the affairs of St. Louis and the World's Fair in the journal's columns. The German Literary and Musical Publishing Company is the publisher.

NEW PORTER FOR MORGUE-Coron NEW PORTER FOR MORGIE—Coroner Funkhouser yesterday appointed Edward
Lawson, a negro living at No. 217A South
Leffingwell avenue, porter at the city
morgue, to take the place of Charles Edwards, who was discharged because of
numerous escapades with his wife. Once
she cut him with a razor at the morgue
and a few nights ago she dashed a can of
lye in his face. Lawson is the third porter
at the morgue since Doctor Funkhouser assumed the office last April. Mayor Weils
approved the appointment.

BOY KILLED BY WAGON - While swinging on the back of a stake wagon yesterday afternoon on the way from school. Walter Fox, II years old, and residing at Riverside, on the Wabash Railroad, was caught in the rear wheels and run over. He died twenty minutes later. The boy's foot caught in the spokes of the wheel and he was dragged in between the wheel and the body of the wagon. The wagon was driven by William Berry of No. 714 Railroad avenue.

HUGH L. RANKEN'S FUNERAL—
The funeral of Hugh L. Ranken, who died Sunday afternoon at St. Luke's Hospital, will take place at 2 o'clock this afternoon from the hospital chapel, Nineteenth street and Washington avenue. Mr. Ranken was 64 years old, Funeral services were held for the arrival of David P. Ranken, his brother, from Montana. These pallbeaters have been selected: J. G. Chouteau, Nelson W. Cameron, Charles Fink, W. H. Thompson, J. H. Sheets and D. G. Evans. INCORPORATED - The Lewis Blind

INCORPORATED — The Lewis Blind Stitch Machine Company filed articles of incorporation vesterday with the Recorder of Deeds. The capital stock of \$125,600, half paid in, is divided into \$1,250 shares, valued at \$100 each. John G. Lewis controls \$1,98 shares, William L. Nichols 50 and Charles L. Knowner 2. The A. H. Cleary Plumbing and Hardware Company has a capital of \$1,990, half paid in, and divided into 30 shares, valued at \$100 each. M. J. Cleary controls 25 shares, A. H. Cleary one and C. F. Bauer one.

GRAHAM SMITH CONVICTED - Gra-GRAHAM SMITH CONVICTED—Graham Smith, who was arrested while quarteling with a woman at Twenty-second and Chestnut streets last Friday night, was fined \$5 for disturbing the peace and \$10 for resisting arrest, by Judge Pollard in the First District Police Court yesterday. When Policemen Sloan and Cantillion arrested him he kicked and bit them until they found it necessary to club him into submission. Smith declares he will not go to the Workhouse. He is the prosecuting witness against Louis Fingerlin, who is charged with grand larceny for the alleged theft of clothing.

MISEASES OF MEN **CURED TO STAY CURED.**

I Do Not Treat All Diseases, But Cure All I Treat. I Treat Men Only and Cure Them to Stay Cured.

By our combined Electro-Medical Treatment, which combines all the Curative Powers of Medicine and Electricity, we absolutely cure Stricture. Varicocele, Nervo-Sexual Debility, Contagious Blood Poison, Rupture, Bladder and Kidney Diseases and all allied and associate Diseases of Men.

WRITE if unable to call at our offices. Our home treatment by mail is always Most Successful and Reliable successful.



DOCTOR SWEANY

Northwest Corner BROADWAY and MARKET ST., St. Louis, Mo.



For Honest Treatment.

Cures all Chronic, Nervous, Blood, Skin and Urinary Diseases—both sexes. Nervous Behility, Lust Manhood, etc., producing nervousness, despondency and irritableness or unfitness for business or marriaga, result of errors, lost manhood, milky urine, organic weakness, quickness, etc. Power restored and a radical cure guaranteed. Ask for blank 21.

Blood Poisons—All stages, Eozema, Ulcers, cured for life by safe means. Ask for blank 22.

Urinary and Biasader aliments quickly cured. Painful, Difficult. Too Frequent or Bloody Urine; also private diseases which obstruct urinary payage. Ask for blank 22.

Piles and all Rectal diseases cured. Modern methods; no cutting. Call or write for advice. Surgical cases, whether congenitation or acquired, successfully treated. Varicoccele in 6 days. Medical Dictionary and Adviser free at office, or scaled by mail; 29 pen pictures.

Consultation Free at

DR. WHITTIER. Consultation Free at Office or by Mail. Separate Walting-Roses for Each Person.

ton's court at No. 1117 Clark avenue. The case was called yesterday. Land won and she was disconsolate. When he left the courtroom she became hysterical, flew at him and struck him in the face. There was an exciting struggle and it ended by her being taken to the City Hospital in an Church. The services were conducted by

APPROVED BUILDING PLANS - The xecutive Board of the Board of Curators t the University of Missouri approved lans yesterday for the medical laboratory.

KNOCKED DOWN BY STREET CAR-Clara Bauer, a cashier at Nugent's store, was knocked down by a Suburban car on Locust street between Broadway and Sixth street, last night and was cut and bruised on the face and head. Her injuries were dressed at the City Dispensary and she went to her home, No. 1814 Benton street.

ARRESTED ON TWO CHARGES-JO-ARRESTED ON TWO CHARGES—Joseph S. Brown was arrested at Nineteenth
and Market streets yesterday afternoon by
Detective Gulon on a telegram from Sheriff
A. J. O'Neal of Ripiey County, Missourf,
stating that he was wanted there on a
charge of the larceny of some cattle. Aaother telegram was received from Sheriff
Kelly of Carter County, Missourf, to the
effect than Brown was wanted to answer
a charge of forgery.

TO HAVE NEW QUARTERS - The TO HAVE NEW QUARTERS—The Board of Directors of the Merchants League Club met last night, Chalirman Theodore D. Kalbfell presiding, After transacting the routine business of the organization, the question of acquiring new quarters was taken up. It was decided to perchase a club building in the western part of the city. In addition to what the treasury can afford for the purpose, \$30,000 will be raised by personal subscription.

COUNTY PARAGRAPHS.

Mary Pitlyk filed a suit for divorce in the Clayton Circuit Court yesterday from her husband, John Pitlyk, alleging abandonment and non-support. The couple

Church. The services were conducted by the Reverends C. C. Stahman, L. G. Guen-ter and Voelkner. The pallbearers were Doctors Loving, Zuppan, Clare, Melsch, Gandy and Dionysius, Doctor Zeinert was G years old and leaves a widow and four grown children.

Daniel S. Willard of Webster Groves was cited by the Probate Court yesterday to appear and file an inventory of the estate of Sarah G. Tobias, of which he is the executor. The inventory should have been filed a year ago, according to the statement of the Probate Clerk.

Marriage Heenses were issued in Clayton yesterday to Henry Hensick of Des Peres and Julia Amelia Reiss of Altheim; Daniel S. Maples and Annie M. Boenker of Bonfils; William Eming and Lena Schnattmeyer of No. 253 Montrose avenue and Emma Clark of 1913 Lindell avenue, Ernest G. Summers of No. 4709 Page avenue and Mne Darington of No. 121 Rowan street and John F. Walsh and Alexina Stanton of St. Louis. The last couple was married by the Reverend Michael Busch of the Clayton Catholic Church. They had a dispensation from the Reverend John Tannrath, pastor of St. Agnes' Church.

TAMMANY HALL'S CANDIDATE. Edward M. Shephard to Be Nominated for Mayor.

New York, Oct. 2.-The City Committee of Tammany Hall, at a meeting, held to-night, decided on Edward M. Shepard of Brooklyn, as the Democratic candidate for Mayor of Greater New York.
William W. Ladd, Jr., was selected as the
Democratic candidate for Comptroller and
George M. Van Hosen was selected as the

candidate for President of the Board of



the best tonic you can possibly take. There's nothing like it for building up the nerves, for throwing off that feeling of exhaustion, and for making rich blood.

Suppose you ask your doctor how often he prescribes this splendid tonic.

"After suffering terribly, I was induced to try your Sarsaparilla. I took three bottles and now feel like a new man. I would advise all in need of a torse to try this medicine." - I. D. Good, Browntown, Va.

J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Many